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New Goods arriving early. More improvements, better dyes. Perfection in sewing, healing, and no more injurious effects from poor dyes. Get your supply early.

RECEPTION TO REV. SMITH.

The Price Library Hall is crowded with guests.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. TAYLOR, Pa., Feb. 20.—The Library Hall was crowded tonight by all classes, who came to attend the farewell reception given by the Price Library association in honor of Rev. W. W. Smith, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, who will leave this town about Mar. 1 for Portland, Conn., to accept a charge.

The remarks by President Louis Reinhardt were touching. The Revs. Harris Heck, Van Housen, Ives Thomas and William Thomas were also appropriate. Resolutions of regret passed at a recent meeting were read. A book as a token of esteem and of his loss as a member, was presented by the association. The entertainment provided was good. A collation was afterward served. Rev. Mr. Smith also spoke feelingly and returned many thanks for the honor.

Electric Bitters. This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise. A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood. Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers. For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters. Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50 cts. and 60 per bottle at Matthews Bros., Drug stores.

THE NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS

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FROM MONROE'S CAPITAL.

Happenings at That Lively City Tensely Recorded by a Graceful Writer. Special to the Scranton Tribune.

STROUDSBURG, Pa., Feb. 20.—Rev. Kemp at the Normal seems to be in great demand and is frequently called to fill pulpits outside. A short time ago he delivered a thoughtful and entertaining discourse in the Methodist church at East Stroudsburg.

The Shakespearean Literary society at the Normal promises to give enjoyment to those who attend their entertainment on Feb. 22. Refreshments will be served.

The Model School children gave a cantata, "A Visit to Fairyland," a few evenings ago at the Normal.

Professor Bible, of the Normal, took part in the reformation held in the St. John's Lutheran church.

Rev. George Brown, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, at East Stroudsburg, has accepted a call from the church at Meshoppen, Pa.

An alphabet supper is the latest novel affair given a few days ago in East Stroudsburg.

Norton Houser, a student at Dickinson college, has returned to his studies. Hotel Clerk Schultz, who made many warm friends when he served the patrons at the Barnett House, was in town for a few days greeting his friends.

The Masons will be in clover next Thursday when they will have their annual banquet. These suppers are largely attended.

Stewart Flagler, proprietor of the Phenix drug store, has been ill with malaria for some days.

Mrs. Stogell Staples, wife of one of White Haven's most prominent citizens is in town with her father, Alex. Rathboun.

Muselman & Costard, proprietors of the steam laundry here, will shortly move to more commodious quarters. They will occupy the store room of John W. Angle.

The very best sleighing can now be enjoyed by those who are lovers of this sport. There is more snow on the ground at the present time than at any time during the season.

A. B. Mellick, the ice cream man, is pushing to completion the double house which he will rent when completed.

THE FRANCHISE GRANTED.

Lackawanna Valley Street Railway Company Will Begin Operations. Special to the Scranton Tribune.

FOREST CITY, Pa., Feb. 20.—A meeting of the borough council was held last evening. Those present were Burgess McDonald, Councilmen Patrick Clear, George C. Westgate, H. F. Aldrich and Harry Box. Councilmen Watts and Harris absent. After some preliminary business the long talked of franchise for granting the right of way to an electric road to be run through our streets was presented.

William Walker, of Maryland, representing the Lackawanna Valley Street Railway company, presented a franchise which was read for the consideration of the council. The franchise read was very similar to that framed by the council a short time ago for the Carbondale and Forest City Traction company.

After a little discussion a motion was made and seconded that Mr. Walker's franchise be accepted. After a short hesitancy upon the part of one of the councilmen, he gave his vote, which made the granting of it unanimous.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds quicker than any other remedy, because it combines the long-healing quality of the pine tree with other valuable medicines. Sold by all dealers on a guarantee of satisfaction.

MUSICAL MOSCOW.

A United Choir to Be Formed There Next Friday Evening. Special to the Scranton Tribune.

MOSCOW, Pa., Feb. 20.—The singers of Moscow and surrounding towns are going to form a united choir at the Methodist Episcopal church next Friday evening, under the leadership of Tallie Morgan, of Scranton. The choir will take up at once the study of sight reading, and all who have a "singing voice" are asked to unite with the choir. Each member will pay into the hands of the treasurer of the society \$1 a month, but a slight reduction will be made to the people of Elm-hurst and other cold towns on account of the extra expense of railroad fare.

The meeting on Friday will be free, and all are invited to be present. Mr. Morgan will give a short talk on sight reading and the balance of the time

will be spent in singing new music, which will be furnished free.

FROM CLARK'S GREEN.

An Intelligent Resume of Current Events Above the Notch. Special to the Scranton Tribune.

CLARK'S GREEN, Feb. 20.—Miss Cooper and Mrs. Drake, of Lackawanna, were entertained at William H. Swallow's last week.

Mrs. John King died at her home after a protracted illness from cancer early on Saturday morning last. The funeral was attended largely by her near relatives and many friends yesterday. Services were conducted by Rev. F. H. Parsons, at her late residence at 3.35 p. m. Interment was made in the Clark's Green cemetery.

Miss Elsie Oakley, of Glenburn, visited friends here on Sunday last. G. W. Decker and family will make their residence in Honesdale in the very near future.

A. J. Akery now occupies the house owned by Mr. Merritt Mead. G. H. Smith, of Glenburn, will occupy the house now occupied by William Smith, in the near future.

H. N. Mott has established his boot and shoe shop in the room adjoining W. S. Frace's store, lately used by Dr. B. F. Evans as an office.

Miss Minnie Kite, of Pittston, spent a few days with her friend, Luella Frace, returning to her home on Monday morning last.

Mr. B. Stanton, of Bozeman, Mont., surprised his many friends and acquaintances in this vicinity on Thursday. Coming on the afternoon train, he spent Saturday and Sunday with his brother-in-law, A. Davis. Return to Scranton on Monday, he left there on Tuesday for a visit among friends at Carbondale and Waymart, from which points he will return home.

A social visit was made at the home of our townsman, W. S. Frace, on Friday evening last in honor of Miss Minnie Kite, of Pittston. Among those present were Mr. F. H. Green, Miss May Armstrong, Mr. C. E. Decker, Miss Flora Tinkham, Willard P. Coon, Miss Elith Decker, Harry Stone, Suella Frace, Anna Fowler, Harold Parker, Dora Robinson, Ward Parker, Miss Knight, of Pittston; Mr. Gardner, of Factoryville; and Fred Brown and Lizzie Frace. A very enjoyable time was had by all.

PECKVILLE POINTERS.

Brief Items of Interest Culled by Careful Hands. Special to the Scranton Tribune.

PECKVILLE, Pa., Feb. 20.—Miss Ella Keith and Miss Steiger, of Avoca, who have been visiting their former pastor, Rev. P. P. Doty, returned home yesterday.

The largest congregation ever gathered in Peckville listened to the sermon by Dr. Iveson Sunday evening. At the altar service which followed twelve persons were forward seeking Christ. Revival services will be continued during this week.

The street cars have resumed their regular trips between Peckville and Scranton.

Samuel Sanford, of Priceburg, was among those who worshipped in town on Sunday.

Z. P. Travis is still under the care of a physician.

Nellie Williams is still unable to attend school on account of a dislocated shoulder joint.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams, of Priceburg, spent Sunday at Bell P. O., as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Conklin.

R. T. James visited with friends at Plymouth the fore part of the week.

Mrs. John F. Williams, of Maple street, spent Sunday with her son John at Girard Ridge.

STRAYED—To the premises of the undersigned last Sunday a dog. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement.

GEORGE A. BELL. Mrs. John Martin, of the Wild Cat road, has returned home after spending a week with her daughter and attending the funeral of her little grandson at Centralia, Pa.

Mrs. F. P. Travis is suffering with throat trouble. Jesse Dunlap, of Scranton, visited her parents here yesterday.

John Warren has purchased a lot of William Bell and is building a residence thereon.

William Purdy, of Scott, brought a sleigh load of people from his neighborhood to attend the revival meeting at the Methodist Episcopal church last Sunday evening.

Mrs. William Kestall, who has been sick for the last weeks, is improving.

KEYSTONE ACADEMY NOTES.

Record of Affairs at the Well Known Institution of Learning. Special to the Scranton Tribune.

FACTORYVILLE, Pa., Feb. 20.—Miss Lou Mass has been spending a few days with her friend, Miss Jessie Johnson, a former student residing at Duncannon.

F. E. Scott called on friends at Monroeville during Saturday and Sunday.

Professor Hully preached at the Baptist church in Waverly on Sunday, where he has rendered most excellent service for several weeks.

A sleigh load of young men from the school attended the meeting of the Christian Endeavor society at the Tunnel school house on Sunday evening.

This society is a branch of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at Factoryville, by which it is usually supplied with leaders.

Certain rumors have been circulated charging that some who are less civilized throughout the community have made it a practice of attending the meetings for the purpose of creating a disturbance. In defense of those who attend the meetings we wish to correct these erroneous impressions, and we are happy to state from observation that such reports are false.

EPWORTH LEAGUE DOINGS.

A Pleasing Entertainment Announced for Next Thursday Evening. Special to the Scranton Tribune.

CLARK'S GREEN, Pa., Feb. 10.—Chapter No. 11, 281, Epworth league, will hold a public entertainment in the Methodist Episcopal church on Thursday evening next at 7.30 o'clock. The interesting programme given below will be both instructing and entertaining:

Solo..... Miss Jessie Polhamus
Recitation..... Anna Ribble
Recitation..... Bessie Mullinex
Select Readings..... Miss Emma Coon
Solo..... Mrs. F. H. Parsons
Recitation..... Miss Edna Ludlow
Coral Solo and Organ Accompaniment
A. A. Davis and Miss Grace A. Davis
Select Reading..... Mrs. Elia Chapman
Solo..... Miss Mae Benedict
Recitation..... Miss Fanny R. Sherman
Solo..... Mrs. L. C. Bennett
Recitation..... Master Homer Davis
Solo..... Miss Bertha Beatty

An admission of 10 cents will be charged and the proceeds devoted to use of the league. All friends will bear well in mind their motto, and "Look up, and not down, Look out, and not in, Look forward and not back And lend a hand."

LADIES ENTERTAINMENT.

The Fair Students at Keystone Academy Will Appear in Drama. Special to the Scranton Tribune.

FACTORYVILLE, Pa., Feb. 20.—Our enterprising young ladies are resolved to rank as champions of their sex. With this consideration in view they have resolved to vindicate their claims on Thursday evening Feb. 22 by giving an entertainment with the foregoing title.

There is reason to believe that all within convenient distance can well afford to attend.

The following is a brief outline of the programme:

THE CHAMPION OF HER SEX.
Mrs. Duplex, a widow with money and mission..... Miss Myra Sprague
Mrs. Deborah Hartshorn, her mother,..... Miss Vida Cramer
Florence Duplex, her daughter,..... Miss Della Coleman
Caroline Duplex, her step-daughter,..... Miss Jennie Reynolds
Rhoda Dendron, her friends,..... Miss Mace and Kemmerer
Kate O'Neil,..... Miss Mary Hull
Maggie Dougan, the chambermaid,..... Miss Helen Wetherby

MAPLE CITY BRIEFS.

Personal and Other Items of Interest from Wayne's Capital. Special to the Scranton Tribune.

HONESDALE, Feb. 20.—The many friends of Otto Weaver of the National Hotel will regret to hear that he has suffered a relapse and is again confined to his bed.

Miss Lottie Seaman, who has been suffering from a severe affection of the jaw for some time past, is now afflicted with quinsy.

Miss Mary Lohman, who has been confined to her bed for several months past, is now able to sit up for short periods.

Master Emerson Rose, is visiting his uncle, Lyman O. Rose, on Fourteenth street.



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Lameness in the Back. Her tongue was covered with blisters; had no appetite, and was very weak and low with general debility. I insisted on her taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and she has been improving ever since. She has taken five bottles, and is so well

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My eyes!

But won't he be wise
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And "ECONOMY'S" got carriages that elsewhere you can't buy,
Wheel! Whom!
What a singular thing!
That o'er carriage men here they soar far on high.
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Whang! Ho!
Why certainly so!

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